

Park Maintenance and Groundskeeper Position (seasonal/part time)

Responsibilities:

Applicant will be responsible for general maintenance of Memorial Park and the baseball/soccer fields at Thornton Burgess. Both locations are located in Hampden. Applicant must be at least 18 years old and will report to the members of the Parks and Recreation Commission. Hours are flexible and will vary by time of year. Experience in pool maintenance and landscaping as well as the use of landscaping equipment is a plus as is knowledge of field lining and setting of bases for various levels of play/multiple path lengths.

Spray Park:

Assist with contractor for seasonal opening (mid May) and closing (mid September).

Daily Opening and Closing includes: Monitoring and adjusting chlorine and other chemical levels. System back flushes every other day. Cleaning filters as needed.

General Park:

Facilities Maintenance and grounds keeping including but not limited to: opening, closing and cleaning bathrooms. Emptying all park trash receptacles and sweeping of pavilions and spray park pad. Responsible for the ongoing maintenance of playscape and mulch, along with the power washing/staining/sealing of pavilion and playscape. Weed whacking and mowing of park, weeding, mulching of flower beds, painting, fall cleanup of leaves from fields, dugouts, bleacher areas of Niccum and Softball fields and batting cages. Maintaining, upgrading and/or repairing playground equipment as needed.

Field Work:

As needed: Prepare fields as needed when games are scheduled. Lining, raking and prepping base paths/mounds and dugouts prior to games for both Niccum and Softball fields.

Weekly: Rasccalling fields throughout baseball season. Using infield groomer to maintain infields on both Niccum Diamond and Memorial Softball Diamond

Mornings/days:

As needed April and May. Responsibilities will become daily from June through September.

Evenings (no more than 1 hr):

Daily from Memorial day weekend thru Labor Day. As needed April, May, September and October

Contact Hampden Parks & Recreation at 566-2151 X108 for an application.